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Team:

COVID-19 is having a dramatic impact on USASD's mission.

I want to share an update on what USASD is doing to keep the staff assigned to USASD safe while carrying out the mission to support Soldiers all around the world.

USASD is following the guidance of global health experts at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC) on preventing the spread of the COVID-19 virus. Effective today, USASD will be teleworking from home. Mitigating COVID-19 effects key component prevention.

Many Soldiers are asking the same question "What do I do right now with the stop movement order?" Per the Secretary of Defense, you are to remain in place. Hunker down at home and continue to report to your first line supervisor.

The Secretary of Defense will provide guidance on the way ahead. Please continue to email actions that require immediate action such as exception to policy and/or emergency leave. If your report date to your gaining unit is after 11 May 2020, you will receive your orders in a timely manner.

USASD is here to support you and your families. I ask that all of you do your part in preventing the spread of this virus. A short period of discomfort and a change to your habits and norm is a small price to help up limit the spread of COVID-19. Stay safe.

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Sincerely,

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